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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) by Express Mail is the complete patent application of David L. Patrick of Bellingham, Washington, entitled LIQUID CRYSTAL IMPRINTING.

1. This application is a divisional of prior Application No. 09/641,450, filed August 17, 2000, priority from the filing date of which is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120. This application also claims the benefit of Provisional Application No. 60/149,391, filed August 17, 1999, the benefit of which is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.

2. An application consisting of 27 pages of specification, including the claims and the Abstract of the Disclosure, and 9 sheets of drawings is attached.

3. A copy of the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney filed in the above-noted prior application is attached. This application is a divisional, no new matter has been added to this application, and no new inventors have been named. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of this application and is hereby incorporated by reference herein.

4. The prior application was assigned to Western Washington University, by an Assignment recorded at Reel 011259/Frame 0151.

5. Small entity status is asserted for this matter.

6. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. Please enter the Preliminary Amendment prior to calculation of the filing fee.

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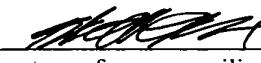
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